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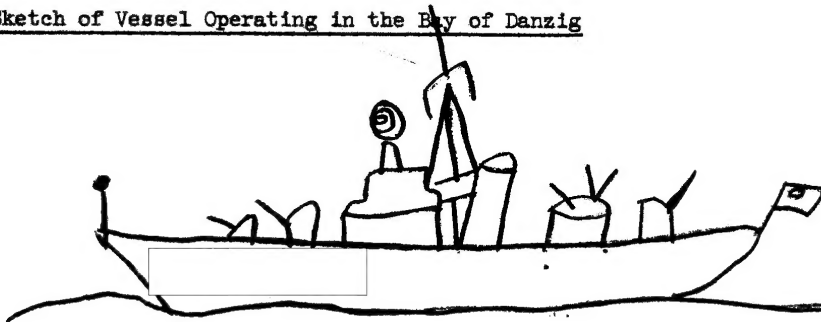
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1. [REDACTED] there were two surface vessels maneuvering along with a small submarine in a position about eight nautical miles northwest of Kahlberg in the Bay of Danzig. The submarine submerged very rapidly. When it resurfaced, the surface of the water broke in a large angle and at a good speed (sic). The diesel motors began turning over immediately after the resurfacing. [REDACTED] 25X1

[REDACTED] The submarine had a small cannon aft of the conning tower. [REDACTED] three flushdeck warships, all alike, about 50 meters long, with one stack, one mast aft on the bridge, and one gun on the foredeck, were observed off Baltiysk. 25X1

2. [REDACTED], there were two Soviet KRONSTADT-Class submarine chasers [REDACTED] at the destroyer quay in Swinoujscie. They displayed the Soviet ensign. 25X1

3. [REDACTED] five Soviet warships [REDACTED] were in Warnemuende. They were all alike, 30 to 40 meters long, with one stack, one mast, and one gun mount forward and one aft. 25X1

Sketch of Vessel Operating in the Bay of Danzig

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